



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : Maria L. Gennaro
Serial No. : 10/009,383
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Title : PROTEINS EXPRESSED BY MYCOBACTERIUM TUBERCULOSIS AND
NOT BY BCG AND THEIR USE AS DIAGNOSTIC REAGENTS AND
VACCINES

Art Unit : 1645
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Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Total Claims	54	-	34	=	20	\$180
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First Presentation of Multiple Dependent Claims						\$0

Applicant hereby petitions under 37 C.F.R. §1.136 for a 0 month extension of time.

\$0

TOTAL FEE DUE

\$180

A check for \$180 is attached.

Respectfully submitted,

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